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## Inspection Report

Supervisor LK

### Minerals Regulatory Program

Date of Report: 04/16/2008

**Mine Name:** Levan Chicken Creek

**Operator Name:** Sunroc Corp. - Tony Christofferson

**Permit number:** M0230016

**Inspection Date:** 04/09/08

**Time:** 9:00 am

**Inspector(s):** Leslie Heppler

**Other Participants:** Rod Dolph

**Mine Status:** Active

**Weather:** Cold and Snowing

<i>Elements of Inspection</i>	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Water Impoundments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Purpose of Inspection:** This was a routine annual inspection

**Inspection Summary:** Blast warning signs (one at west and one at east end) of main access road had different dates. Localized highwall failure on east side of the pit. Small debris flow on main access road east of section 34 mine pit. Section 34 mine pit was actively hauling from stockpile placed at the base of the highwall, +5 end dumps in the que. Stockpile was not well sorted and trackhoe was used to size sort large boulders. Area southwest of Section 33 pit was reclaimed, but is/was outside of permit area. Section 33 mine pit was not inspected; a inspection is still needed for the Section 33 mine, when weather/road conditions permit. See attached photos.

**Conclusions and Recommendations:** Bond escalation was due on 01/21/07. Operator has 30 days to escalate bond.

**Inspector's Signature**

*Leslie Heppler*

**Date:**

04-29-08

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Photos Taken 04-09-08



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cc: Susan White, Lynn Kunzler, Jed Pearson  
Sunroc - Tony Christofferson, Rod Dolph  
Agency - Uinta NF- administered by Manti-LaSal NF  
GPS map and Photos



**Mine Name: Levan Chicken Creek Mine  
Township 14 S Range 01 E Section 33 SLBM**

Map Produced by DKS

Acres Disturbed	38.64
Acres Regraded	0
Acres Seeded	0
Road Acres Disturbed	0
Total Acres Disturbed	<u>38.64</u>
Acres Released	0
Acres Excluded	0
Acres PreExisting	0
Acres Prelaw	0

All items symbolized in legend may not be appear on map

- | Symbol | Description                     |
|--------|---------------------------------|
|        | Township or range line          |
|        | Section line; location doubtful |
|        | Disputed                        |
|        | Regraded                        |
|        | Seeded                          |
|        | Released                        |
|        | Exccluded                       |
|        | Pice-killing                    |
|        | Pravaw                          |
|        | Proposed                        |
|        | STLA Mineral Ownership          |
|        | BL Mtsabsham/rentals            |
|        | Board Area                      |
|        | STLA Mineral Leases             |
|        | Community PI                    |
|        | Other                           |
|        | County Boundary                 |
|        | Interstate                      |
|        | US Route                        |
|        | State Route                     |
|        | Primary Route                   |
|        | Secondary Route                 |
|        | Main Dirt Road                  |
|        | Unimproved Road                 |
|        | Interchange                     |
|        | Trail                           |

DOQ imagery date 2006



1:10,003 1 inch equals 834 feet  
Verify Scale

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